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Applicant : Shunpei Yamazaki, et al. Art Unit : 2813  
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SECOND AND THIRD-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated September 15, 2003, be extended for a second and third month to and including March 15, 2004.

Enclosed is a check for \$840 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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